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Greetings!

We enjoyed a really memorable trip to Branson where we enjoyed a lunch and show aboard the Branson Belle, an optional show at Sight and Sound Theatre for Moses, a day at Silver Dollar City, dinner at Mel's Hard Luck Café with singing wait staff. We had to substitute the Titanic Museum and lunch at Lamberts (home of the throw'd rolls) when Dogwood Canyon had flood damage. What beautiful weather and no crowds!

The Indiana Amish trip June 20-23 is booking well. The 4da/3nt trip is packed full of interesting sights and sounds of the area. Let us know if you are thinking about this trip as we don't want you to miss it!

We are less than one month away and payments are due!

The New Theatre musical, Million Dollar Quartet is nearly full so don't delay in signing up before it is too late!

For those of you getting newsletters by email, additional information in the form of flyers are attached to the email.

WE WILL CONTINUE TO DEPART FROM THE ARC PARKING LOT, 1701 W ASH ST (NEXT TO THE PLAYING FIELD).

2017 Memberships

Payment can be made in person at the front desk or by mail with check payable to **Columbia Parks and Rec**.

	2017 Membership Type	Includes
\$25	Parks & Rec 50+	All Tours and Hillcrest activities
\$40	Osher/Parks & Rec 50+ Combo	Tours/Hillcrest activities, Brown Bags, Book Talks, Clubs & Osher weekly email

Please Note: We are going green!

In order to be more environmentally friendly, we are compiling an email list of people who would like to receive their 50+ newsletters by email instead of through the mail. This saves paper, postage, and trash. The electronic copy will be in color, and you'll never have to wonder where you put it because it will be in your inbox every time you want to reference it! Please let the front desk know if you want to be on the "green" newsletter list.

New Theatre Restaurant is located in Overland Park, KS, providing professional theatrical performances since 1992.



2017/2018 Season

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET is the new smash-hit musical inspired by the true story of the famed recording session that brought together rock 'n' roll icons Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins for the first and only time. On December 4, 1956, these four young musicians gathered at Sun Records in Memphis for what would be one of the greatest jam sessions ever. MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET brings that legendary night to life, featuring a score of rock hits including "Blue Suede Shoes," "Fever," "That's All Right," "16 Tons," "Great Balls of Fire," "Walk the Line," "Whole Lotta Shakin' Goin' On," "Who Do You Love?," "Matchbox," "Folsom Prison Blues," "Hound Dog" and more. This thrilling musical brings you inside the recording studio with four major talents who came together as a red-hot rock "n" roll band for one unforgettable night.



WEDNESDAY, JULY 26, 2017 \$80

DRIVING MISS DAISY starring Michael Learned (The Waltons) & Reginald VelJohnson (Family Matters) Daisy Werthan, a wealthy Jewish widow, must use a chauffeur after wrecking yet another car. Her son hires a thoughtful, unemployed black man named Hoke Colburn for the job, and while the relationship is strained at first, the two grow to become dear friends. This funny, joyful play won the Pulitzer Prize, and the film adaptation won four Academy Awards, including Best Picture! WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2017 \$75



FUNNY MONEY *starring Jim O'Heir (Parks & Rec)*

Henry's life is simple, ordered, and quite frankly, boring. Then one night, Henry discovers that the briefcase he picked up is not only not his, it contains 1.5 million dollars in cash! Henry, certain that the funds are gangster-related, decides to use it to change his life. He abandons his house, job, and current life to start anew somewhere abroad. Switched briefcases, mistaken identities, greedy friends, bodies in the river and murderers on the loose make this international hit "fiendishly funny...if ever there were a farce that could make someone die laughing, this is it." Nominated for London's prestigious Olivier Award for Best Comedy of the Year.



WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 2017 \$80

BAREFOOT IN THE PARK starring Cindy Williams & Edda Mekka (Laverne and Shirley)

Newlyweds Paul and Corie Bratter move into their new apartment to start their new life together, and Corie wants everything to be perfect for her new husband...But the apartment has absolutely no furniture or heat, the skylight lets in the snow, the paint job came out all wrong, and the bedroom doesn't have room for a bed. Just when things couldn't get any worse, Corie's mom and potential boyfriend make an entrance!

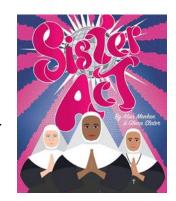




SISTER ACT

When disco diva Deloris Van Cartier witnesses a murder, she is put in protective custody in the one place the cops are sure she won't be found—a convent! Disguised as a nun, she finds herself at odds with the rigid lifestyle and the uptight Mother Superior. Using her unique singing talent to inspire the choir, Deloris breathes new life into the church and community but blows her cover in the process. Soon, the gang is giving chase, only to find themselves up against Deloris and the power of her newly found sisterhood. Filled with gospel music and outrageous comedy, SISTER ACT is the perfect show for everyone from nine to ninety!

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 2018 \$80



MAMMA MIA!

On the eve of her wedding, a daughter's quest to discover the identity of her father brings three men from her mother's past to the door of the church. A New Theatre first, MAMMA MIA! is an absolute hit for the ages. More than 60 million people world-wide have fallen in love with this feel-good musical that features the chart-topping hits of super group ABBA. This Super Trouper musical comedy hit ran 14 years on Broadway, and it's in its 18th year in London—and still selling out!



WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 2018 \$85

Recipes from "Dixie Swim Club" show



Vernie's Son-Of-A-Biscuits

Ingredients: 2 C flour; 4 tsp. baking powder; 1/4 tsp. baking soda; 3/4 tsp. salt; 2 Tbsp. butter; 2 Tbsp. shortening; 1 C buttermilk, chilled



Directions: Preheat oven to 450 degrees. In a large mixing bowl, combine flour, baking powder, baking soda, and salt. Using your fingertips, rub butter and shortening into dry ingredients until mixture looks like crumbs. (The faster, the better. You don't want the fats to melt.) Make a well in the center and pour in the chilled buttermilk. Stir just until the dough comes together. The dough will be very sticky. Turn dough onto floured surface, dust top with flour and gently fold dough over on itself 5 or 6 times. Press into a 1-inch thick round. Cut out biscuits with a 2-inch cutter, and make sure to push straight down through the dough. Place biscuits on baking sheet so that they just touch. Re-form scrap dough, working it as little as possible and continue cutting. (Biscuits from the second pass will not be quite as light as those from the first, but hey, that's life.) Bake until biscuits are tall and light gold on top, 15 to 20 minutes.





Mung Bean Goji Berry Balls recipe by request for anyone who wants to spit them out in the nearest plant.

2017 Day Trips

Wed Aug 23 – Summer Surprise Trip*
The Nov 30 – Holiday Surprise Trip*

*Surprise trips have been a favorite over the years. You will experience an interesting destination/activity, good company and good food all in a day trip. Our goal is sharing new places unknown until that day. Sign up and enjoy a special day!

2017 Overnight Trips

<u>June 20-23, 2017</u> – Shipshewana Flea Market, Amish, and Quilts. Northern Indiana is proud of its Amish and Mennonite heritage. You'll have the opportunity to visit the famous Flea Market in Shipshewana, farm flower gardens grown in colorful quilt patterns, and a backroads tour of the Amish countryside including stops at Amish businesses. An optional buggy ride can be arranged for anyone interested. Highlights include Amish Acres (Amish farm experience with family style Threshers Dinner and live show in restored 1911 Round Barn Theatre), meal at Das Dutchman Essenhaus and Classic Car Cruise In, Seward Johnson sculptures displayed in Elkart gardens and parks, Ruthmere Mansion (built for his daughter by the creator of Alka-Seltzer)..

Oct 10-13, 2017 – Mt Magazine, Arkansas –This is the highest mountain in Arkansas with sweeping vistas of broad river valleys, deep canyons and distant mountains and a true marvel to see in its fall glory. We will stay at the Lodge of Mount Magazine which has undergone amazing renovations in 2016. Price and further details will soon be available.



You can see an electronic version of this newsletter online at www.como.gov Search: Senior/50+.

More color photos available on the website also.

QUICK REFERENCE TRIP GUIDE

(By trip date, name, departure time, payment due date, and price.)

Departures are from the ARC, 1701 W Ash St. Park in the last row next to the playing fields. Trips are taken in a White Knight Charter motorcoach unless otherwise noted.

2017-2018 Day Trips

DATE	TRIP	DEP. TIME	DUE DATE	AMOUNT
WED JULY 26	MILLION \$ QUARTET – (NTH)	8:00 AM	JUN 15	\$80
WED AUG 23	SUMMER SURPRISE TRIP	8:00 AM	AUG1	\$80
WED OCT 4	DRIVING MISS DAISY – (NTH)	8:00 AM	SEP 1	\$75
THU NOV 30	HOLIDAY SURPRISE TRIP	8:00 AM	NOV 1	\$85
WED DEC 6	FUNNY MONEY – (NTH)	8:00 AM	NOV 1	\$80
WED MAR 28, 2018	BAREFOOT IN THE PARK – (NTH)	8:00 AM	FEB 15	\$75
WED JUN 6, 2018	SISTER ACT – (NTH)	8:00 AM	MAY 1	\$80
WED SEPT 19, 2018	MAMMA MIA – (NTH)	8:00 AM	AUG 15	\$80

2017 Overnight Trips

DATE	TRIP	DEP. TIME	DUE DATE	AMOUNT
JUNE 20-23	INDIANA AMISH	7:30 AM	MAY20	\$659 +\$180 single
Oct 10-13	MT. MAGAZINE, ARKANSAS	TBA	TBA	TBA

More details and pricing will be forthcoming. Call with your questions.

NOTE: Most trips require a minimum of 20-30 participants. If you're interested in a trip, please let us know as soon as possible. This may avoid having to cancel a trip without enough participants.